

Full settlements
monthly.

That all persons, firms and corporations owning or operating manufacturing, mining or lumbering plants in Avery and Mitchell counties, shall pay all employees on certain days, not less than once in each calendar month in full for all work and labor done ten days prior to pay day, and no such person or corporation shall issue scrip in payment for work or labor done unless it is made transferable and redeemable in cash on the regular pay day; that any person, firm, or corporation violating the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be fined not exceeding five dollars for each offense.

Payment by scrip.

Misdemeanor.

Punishments.

SEC. 2. That this act shall go into effect from and after its ratification.

Ratified this the 27th day of February, A. D. 1917.

CHAPTER 425

AN ACT TO REGULATE PUBLISHING ANNUAL STATEMENT BY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF LEE COUNTY.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

Copy posted.

SECTION 1. That it shall be a sufficient publishing of the annual statement required to be published by law by the board of county commissioners of Lee County to post a typewritten copy thereof duly signed by the chairman of said board and attested by its clerk, at the courthouse door of said county: *Provided*, it shall be in the discretion of said board whether said statement is so posted or published in some newspaper issued in said county.

Proviso: Discretion of board.

Repealing clause.

SEC. 2. That all laws and clauses of laws in conflict with this act are repealed.

SEC. 3. That this act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

Ratified this the 27th day of February, A. D. 1917.

CHAPTER 426

AN ACT TO PROTECT QUAIL OR PARTRIDGES IN CLEVELAND COUNTY.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

Close season.

SECTION 1. That it shall be unlawful to hunt, shoot, or in any manner kill any quail or partridge in Cleveland County between January first and December tenth of any year.